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In re application of : Emery Randolph Best, et al.  
U.S. Serial No. : 10/718,170  
Filed : November 20, 2003  
For : METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PREVENTING ILLITERACY IN  
SUBSTANTIALLY ALL MEMBERS OF A PREDETERMINED  
SET OF STUDENTS  
Group No. : (Unknown)  
Examiner : (Not Yet Assigned)

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated October 18, 2004,  
attached are the following documents:

1. Preliminary Amendment;
2. Copy of executed Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application as filed  
in parent application Serial No. 10/124,587;
3. Revocation of Power of Attorney with New Power of Attorney and Change of  
Correspondence Address;
4. Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) (w/copy of Consulting Agreement);

5. Supplemental Statement in Support of Statement Under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b);
6. Check in the amount of \$65.00 for the Missing Parts surcharge;
7. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application; and
8. Our postcard receipt.

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**NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

**FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)**

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***Filing Date Granted***

**Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

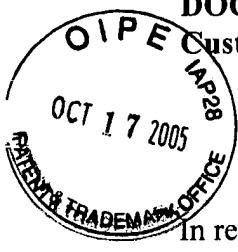
**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$65** for a Small Entity

- **\$65** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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Sir:

The undersigned hereby certifies that the following documents:

1. Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally Under 37 CFR 1.137(b);
2. Supplemental Statement in Support of Petition to Revive;
3. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application;
4. Preliminary Amendment;
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